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**RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 7, 2006 OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This is a Response to the final Office action dated September 7, 2006, prior to further consideration, please amend the above-identified application in accordance with the enclosed amendments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.